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FLORIDA LABOR MARKET TRENDS

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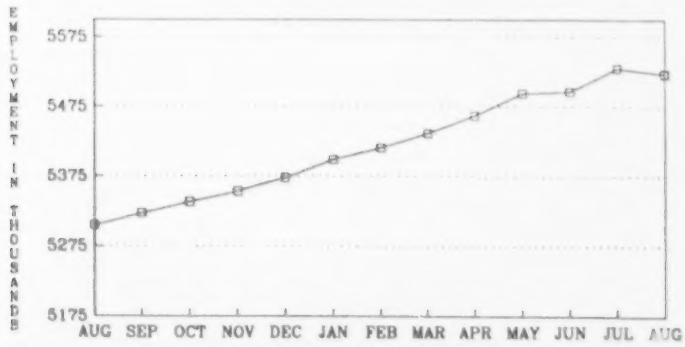
Highlights:

- Nonagricultural employment in Florida increased by 4.1 percent or 217,400 new jobs over the year to reach a total of 5,521,900 in August. The overall trend for employment growth, however, has been slowing down on an annual basis. August witnessed an over-the-month decline of -0.1 percent.
- Services; government; and transportation, communications, and public utilities (TCPU) were the fastest growing industries over the year with rates of 6.9, 9.0, and 4.5 percent, respectively. Services recorded strong gains due to robust employment growth in hotels and other lodging places. Government's strong growth was due in part to employment of temporary census workers.
- Both manufacturing (-5,700) and construction (-15,900) lost jobs over the year. These industries remain Florida's most volatile sectors reacting to interest rates and other economic conditions.
- Florida's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate increased by 1.4 percentage points over the year to 6.7 percent in August (426,000 jobless). This was 1.1 percentage points higher than the national rate of 5.6 percent. The Fort Pierce MSA (13.9 percent) recorded the highest rate while the Gainesville MSA recorded the lowest (3.8 percent) in August (not seasonally adjusted).

NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT
FLORIDA, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED



AUGUST 1989–AUGUST 1990

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STATE OF FLORIDA
NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (IN THOUSANDS)
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

INDUSTRY	August Preliminary 1990	July Revised 1990	August Revised 1989	Over-the-Month Change		Over-the-Year Change	
				NUMBER	Percent	NUMBER	Percent
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT	5521.9	5529.9	5304.5	-8.0	-0.1	217.4	4.1
MINING (1)	9.3	9.3	9.4	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-1.1
CONSTRUCTION	323.6	328.2	339.5	-4.6	-1.4	-15.9	-4.7
MANUFACTURING	536.7	540.8	542.4	-4.1	-0.8	-5.7	-1.1
DURABLE GOODS (1)	317.9	320.0	323.7	-2.1	-0.7	-5.8	-1.8
NONDURABLE GOODS	218.2	218.6	218.0	-0.4	-0.2	0.2	0.1
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATIONS, AND PUBLIC UTILITIES (1)	278.5	279.1	266.5	-0.6	-0.2	12.0	4.5
TRADE	1496.3	1498.8	1449.9	-2.5	-0.2	46.4	3.2
WHOLESALE (1)	304.0	304.6	294.5	-0.6	-0.2	9.5	3.2
RETAIL	1190.3	1192.8	1153.5	-2.5	-0.2	36.8	3.2
EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	401.5	400.2	383.6	1.3	0.3	17.9	4.7
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE (1)	377.8	379.0	374.4	-1.2	-0.3	3.4	0.9
SERVICES	1620.7	1612.3	1515.7	8.4	0.5	105.0	6.9
HOTELS AND OTHER LODGING PLACES	153.8	151.2	138.9	2.6	1.7	14.9	10.7
HEALTH SERVICES (1)	412.5	411.3	384.8	1.2	0.3	27.7	7.2
TOTAL PRIVATE	4642.9	4647.5	4497.8	-4.6	*	145.1	3.2
GOVERNMENT	879.0	882.4	806.7	-3.4	-0.4	72.3	9.0

* = Less than one-tenth of one percent.

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NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (IN THOUSANDS)
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

INDUSTRY	1989					1990								Over-the-Year Change	
	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG(P)	%	NUMBER
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT	5304.5	5321.9	5338.3	5353.4	5372.6	5399.0	5415.7	5436.6	5462.0	5493.9	5496.6	5529.9	5521.9	4.1	217.4
MINING (1)	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.3	9.3	-1.1	-0.1
CONSTRUCTION	339.5	338.4	339.9	339.8	340.9	344.7	343.7	343.2	341.1	335.0	331.1	328.2	323.6	-4.7	-15.9
MANUFACTURING	542.4	543.1	543.4	544.0	543.6	545.5	543.4	540.3	541.5	540.1	538.5	540.8	536.7	-1.1	-5.7
DURABLE GOODS (1)	323.7	324.4	325.7	325.8	325.4	324.6	324.5	324.2	323.7	323.3	322.6	320.0	317.9	-1.8	-5.8
NONDURABLE GOODS	218.0	218.7	219.1	219.9	220.5	220.0	218.1	215.7	217.2	216.7	216.3	218.6	218.2	0.1	0.2
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATIONS, AND PUBLIC UTILITIES (1)	266.5	267.3	270.4	273.3	277.5	273.0	274.6	277.5	278.6	279.6	280.9	279.1	278.5	4.5	12.0
TRADE	1449.9	1454.8	1458.0	1461.1	1463.0	1469.4	1469.6	1475.4	1480.9	1487.3	1490.3	1498.8	1496.3	3.2	46.4
WHOLESALE (1)	294.5	296.3	297.9	300.5	303.2	301.7	303.0	304.4	304.3	305.7	305.8	304.6	304.0	3.2	9.5
RETAIL	1153.5	1156.6	1159.0	1160.9	1161.7	1167.6	1167.3	1172.2	1177.6	1182.3	1185.5	1192.8	1190.3	3.2	36.8
EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	383.6	384.4	385.7	386.3	386.8	389.0	389.2	392.5	397.0	396.9	400.3	400.2	401.5	4.7	17.9
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE (1)	374.4	373.5	372.7	375.0	376.1	373.6	375.0	376.8	375.3	376.4	378.6	379.0	377.8	0.9	3.4
SERVICES	1515.7	1522.4	1532.2	1538.3	1543.3	1559.9	1569.4	1577.6	1592.3	1602.4	1605.8	1612.3	1620.7	6.9	105.0
HOTELS AND OTHER LODGING PLACES	138.9	142.0	144.4	145.0	145.0	146.1	145.9	147.5	149.8	151.4	151.7	151.2	153.8	10.7	14.9
HEALTH SERVICES (1)	384.8	385.6	388.8	390.2	393.3	395.5	400.1	402.2	402.2	405.5	409.5	411.3	412.5	7.2	27.7
TOTAL PRIVATE	4497.8	4508.8	4526.0	4540.9	4553.8	4575.6	4585.3	4600.4	4619.3	4630.4	4634.7	4647.5	4642.9	3.2	145.1
GOVERNMENT	806.7	813.1	812.3	812.5	818.8	823.4	830.4	836.2	842.7	863.5	861.9	882.4	879.0	9.0	72.3

(P) - Preliminary Estimate

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		AUGUST 1990	JULY 1990	AUGUST 1989	CHANGE FROM JULY 1990 TO AUG. 1990		CHANGE FROM AUG. 1989 TO AUG. 1990	
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL	000000	5,412,700	5,426,300	5,203,400	-13,600	0.3%	+209,300	4.0%
GOODS PRODUCING	000045	868,900	873,600	890,700	-4,700	0.5%	-21,800	2.4%
MINING	100001	9,300	9,300	9,400	+0	0.0%	-100	1.1%
NONMETALLIC MINERALS	114002	8,300	8,400	8,500	-100	1.2%	-200	2.4%
PHOSPHATE ROCK	114754	3,900	3,900	4,100	+0	0.0%	-200	4.9%
CONSTRUCTION	200001	327,200	330,500	343,300	-3,300	1.0%	-16,100	4.7%
GEN BLDNG CONTRACTORS	215002	76,200	76,700	83,000	-500	0.7%	-6,800	8.2%
HEAVY CONSTRUCTION	216002	47,200	47,400	48,200	-200	0.4%	-1,000	2.1%
SPECIAL TRADE	217002	203,800	206,400	212,100	-2,600	1.3%	-8,300	3.9%
MANUFACTURING	300001	532,400	533,800	538,000	-1,400	0.3%	-5,600	1.0%
DURABLE GOODS	300016	317,900	320,000	323,700	-2,100	0.7%	-5,800	1.8%
LUMBER & WOOD PRODS.	324002	24,800	24,900	25,400	-100	0.4%	-600	2.4%
FURNITURE & FIXTURES	325002	14,100	14,000	14,000	+100	0.7%	+100	0.7%
STONE, CLAY, GLASS	332002	24,400	24,600	26,700	-200	0.8%	-2,300	8.6%
PRIMARY METAL IND.	333002	5,200	5,200	5,100	+0	0.0%	+100	2.0%
FABRICATED METAL	334002	33,100	33,100	34,300	+0	0.0%	-1,200	3.5%
INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY	335002	42,500	42,800	43,200	-300	0.7%	-700	1.6%
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	336002	62,500	61,900	62,400	+600	1.0%	+100	0.2%
TRANSPORTATION EQUIP.	337002	66,300	69,200	68,000	-2,900	4.2%	-1,700	2.5%
INSTRUMENTS & RELATED	338002	36,100	35,700	35,300	+400	1.1%	+800	2.3%
MISC MANUFACTURING	339002	8,900	8,600	9,300	+300	3.5%	-400	4.3%
NONDURABLE GOODS	400016	214,500	213,800	214,300	+700	0.3%	+200	0.1%
FOOD & KINDRED PROD.	420002	46,000	45,300	46,000	+700	1.5%	+0	0.0%
PRESERVED FRUITS	420303	10,000	10,100	10,000	-100	1.0%	+0	0.0%
TOBACCO PRODUCTS	421002	900	900	1,400	+0	0.0%	-500	35.7%
TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	422002	3,700	3,700	3,900	+0	0.0%	-200	5.1%
APPAREL & OTHER TXTLE	423002	35,500	35,700	34,700	-200	0.6%	+800	2.3%
PAPER & ALLIED	426002	14,400	14,300	14,500	+100	0.7%	-100	0.7%
PRINTING & PUBLISHING	427002	67,100	67,200	66,200	-100	0.1%	+900	1.4%
CHEMICALS & ALLIED	428002	22,700	22,500	23,300	+200	0.9%	-600	2.6%
PETROLEUM & COAL PROD	429002	1,600	1,600	1,500	+0	0.0%	+100	6.7%
RUBBER & MISC PLASTIC	430002	20,000	20,000	20,300	+0	0.0%	-300	1.5%
LEATHER, LEATHER PROD	431002	2,600	2,600	2,500	+0	0.0%	+100	4.0%
SERVICE PRODUCING	000055	4,543,800	4,552,700	4,312,700	-8,900	0.2%	+231,100	5.4%
TRANSPORT & PUB UTILS	500001	278,500	279,100	266,500	-600	0.2%	+12,000	4.5%
TRANSPORTATION	500016	172,000	172,600	161,700	-600	0.3%	+10,300	6.4%
RAILROAD TRANSPORT	540002	7,700	7,700	7,900	+0	0.0%	-200	2.5%
LOCAL & INTERURBAN	541002	10,500	10,800	11,000	-300	2.8%	-500	4.5%
TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE	542002	68,600	68,600	62,600	+0	0.0%	+6,000	9.6%
WATER TRANSPORTATION	544002	16,600	16,900	15,900	-300	1.8%	+700	4.4%
TRANSPORTATION BY AIR	545002	46,900	47,200	43,000	-300	0.6%	+3,900	9.1%
COMMUNICATIONS	548002	66,700	66,700	66,300	+0	0.0%	+400	0.6%
ELECTRIC,GAS,SANITARY	549002	39,800	39,800	38,500	+0	0.0%	+1,300	3.4%
TRADE	600001	1,469,500	1,474,500	1,423,800	-5,000	0.3%	+45,700	3.2%
WHOLESALE TRADE	600016	304,000	304,600	294,500	-600	0.2%	+9,500	3.2%

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		AUGUST 1990	JULY 1990	AUGUST 1989	CHANGE FROM JULY 1990 TO AUG. 1990		CHANGE FROM AUG. 1989 TO AUG. 1990	
WHOLESALE - DURABLES	650012	176,900	178,000	173,200	-1,100	0.6%	+3,700	2.1%
WHOLESALE -NONDURABLE	651012	127,100	126,600	121,300	+500	0.4%	+5,800	4.8%
RETAIL TRADE	600036	1,165,500	1,169,900	1,129,300	-4,400	0.4%	+36,200	3.2%
BLDNG MATLS,GRDN SUPL	652002	47,000	47,500	46,700	-500	1.1%	+300	0.6%
GENERAL MERCHANDISE	653002	135,800	140,000	134,900	-4,200	3.0%	+900	0.7%
FOOD STORES	654002	205,600	206,400	198,500	-800	0.4%	+7,100	3.6%
AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS	655002	122,600	123,200	120,800	-600	0.5%	+1,800	1.5%
APPAREL & ACCESSORY	656002	64,500	63,800	63,800	+700	1.1%	+700	1.1%
FURN, HOMEFURN, EQUIP	657002	57,500	57,000	55,000	+500	0.9%	+2,500	4.5%
EATING & DRINKING	658002	392,900	392,600	375,400	+300	0.1%	+17,500	4.7%
MISC RETAIL	659002	139,600	139,400	134,200	+200	0.1%	+5,400	4.0%
FINANCE,INS.,REAL EST.	700001	377,800	379,000	374,400	-1,200	0.3%	+3,400	0.9%
DEPOSITORY INSTNS	760002	115,200	116,200	121,200	-1,000	0.9%	-6,000	5.0%
NONDEPOSITORY INSTNS	761002	25,200	25,200	24,100	+0	0.0%	+1,100	4.6%
INSURANCE CARRIERS	763002	65,100	65,000	62,400	+100	0.2%	+2,700	4.3%
INSURANCE AGENTS	764002	39,300	39,200	38,300	+100	0.3%	+1,000	2.6%
REAL ESTATE	765002	102,400	102,700	99,900	-300	0.3%	+2,500	2.5%
SERVICES	800001	1,607,600	1,604,700	1,503,300	+2,900	0.2%	+104,300	6.9%
HOTELS & OTHR LODGING	870002	149,200	149,000	134,700	+200	0.1%	+14,500	10.8%
PERSONAL SERVICES	872002	60,700	60,500	58,400	+200	0.3%	+2,300	3.9%
BUSINESS SERVICES	873002	297,400	296,800	274,200	+600	0.2%	+23,200	8.5%
AUTO REPAIR & PARKING	875002	57,500	57,300	54,000	+200	0.3%	+3,500	6.5%
MISC REPAIR SERVICES	876002	25,800	25,800	24,200	+0	0.0%	+1,600	6.6%
MOTION PICTURES	878002	14,600	14,600	13,400	+0	0.0%	+1,200	9.0%
AMUSEMENT, RECREATION	879002	114,800	115,700	103,500	-900	0.8%	+11,300	10.9%
HEALTH SERVICES	880002	412,500	411,300	384,800	+1,200	0.3%	+27,700	7.2%
LEGAL SERVICES	881002	56,800	56,900	53,500	-100	0.2%	+3,300	6.2%
EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	882002	52,500	51,400	53,100	+1,100	2.1%	-600	1.1%
ENGINEERING & MNGMNT.	887002	122,000	121,700	120,300	+300	0.2%	+1,700	1.4%
TOTAL GOVERNMENT	900001	810,400	815,400	744,700	-5,000	0.6%	+65,700	8.8%
TOTAL FEDERAL GOVT.	910001	140,600	140,700	120,500	-100	0.1%	+20,100	16.7%
TOTAL STATE & LOCAL	940001	669,800	674,700	624,200	-4,900	0.7%	+45,600	7.3%
TOTAL STATE GOVERNMENT	920001	182,100	182,200	169,100	-100	0.1%	+13,000	7.7%
TOTAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT	930001	487,700	492,500	455,100	-4,800	1.0%	+32,600	7.2%

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HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION OR NON-SUPERVISORY WORKERS BY INDUSTRY IN FLORIDA
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90/09/20

		AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS		
		AUG. 1990	JULY 1990	AUG. 1989	AUG. 1990	JULY 1990	AUG. 1989	AUG. 1990	JULY 1990	AUG. 1989
NONMETALLIC MINERALS	114002	$467.40	$474.11	$454.79	45.6	46.3	45.8	$10.25	$10.24	$9.93
PHOSPHATE ROCK	114754	$531.18	$536.78	$493.19	45.4	45.8	43.3	$11.70	$11.72	$11.39
MANUFACTURING	300001	$366.02	$361.70	$351.95	40.4	40.1	40.5	$9.06	$9.02	$8.69
DURABLE GOODS	300016	$372.37	$366.71	$361.32	41.1	40.7	41.2	$9.06	$9.01	$8.77
LUMBER & WOOD PRODS.	324002	$307.35	$299.22	$289.84	41.2	40.6	38.8	$7.46	$7.37	$7.47
FURNITURE & FIXTURES	325002	$300.23	$300.85	$293.71	39.4	39.9	40.4	$7.62	$7.54	$7.27
STONE, CLAY, GLASS	332002	$433.78	$418.57	$422.71	46.0	44.2	45.6	$9.43	$9.47	$9.27
PRIMARY METAL IND.	333002	$438.20	$454.50	$443.77	43.3	45.0	44.6	$10.12	$10.10	$9.95
FABRICATED METAL	334002	$325.09	$319.99	$327.65	39.5	38.6	40.5	$8.23	$8.29	$8.09
INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY	335002	$416.48	$417.49	$414.96	41.4	41.5	42.3	$10.06	$10.06	$9.81
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	336002	$370.54	$363.09	$355.19	39.8	39.0	40.5	$9.31	$9.31	$8.77
TRANSPORTATION EQUIP.	337002	$438.01	$429.89	$411.86	41.4	41.9	40.9	$10.58	$10.26	$10.07
INSTRUMENTS & RELATED	338002	$333.31	$337.00	$324.72	41.2	41.4	41.0	$8.09	$8.14	$7.92
MISC MANUFACTURING	339002	$300.23	$273.80	$288.17	38.1	37.0	39.1	$7.88	$7.40	$7.37
NONDURABLE GOODS	400016	$356.57	$355.39	$340.63	39.4	39.4	39.7	$9.05	$9.02	$8.58
FOOD & KINDRED PROD.	420002	$332.73	$326.93	$314.00	39.8	39.2	40.0	$8.36	$8.34	$7.85
PRESERVED FRUITS	420303	$356.00	$341.28	$375.16	40.5	39.5	45.2	$8.79	$8.64	$8.30
TOBACCO PRODUCTS	421002	$401.62	$406.99	$275.42	48.8	48.8	39.8	$8.23	$8.34	$6.92
TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	422002	$279.57	$286.06	$230.29	40.4	41.7	39.5	$6.92	$6.86	$5.83
APPAREL & OTHER TXTLE	423002	$229.50	$224.59	$209.88	37.5	37.0	36.5	$6.12	$6.07	$5.75
PAPER & ALLIED	426002	$506.60	$511.49	$490.35	42.5	43.2	42.9	$11.92	$11.84	$11.43
PRINTING & PUBLISHING	427002	$395.25	$394.57	$385.19	37.5	37.4	38.1	$10.54	$10.55	$10.11
CHEMICALS & ALLIED	428002	$546.53	$544.43	$502.42	43.0	42.7	43.2	$12.71	$12.75	$11.63
RUBBER & MISC PLASTIC	430002	$296.79	$304.98	$305.31	40.6	42.3	42.7	$7.31	$7.21	$7.15
COMMUNICATIONS	548002	$534.20	$532.38	$497.30	39.5	39.7	38.7	$13.49	$13.41	$12.85
ELECTRIC,GAS,SANITARY	549002	$601.81	$607.31	$590.04	43.8	44.2	43.1	$13.74	$13.74	$13.69
DEPOSITORY INSTNS	760002	$287.78	$283.87	$276.77	36.9	36.3	37.1	$7.82	$7.82	$7.46

SOURCE: FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT SECURITY, BUREAU OF LABOR MARKET INFORMATION, CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS PROGRAM, IN COOPERATION WITH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.

LABOR FORCE SUMMARY
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

STATE OF FLORIDA	AUGUST 1990	JULY 1990	AUGUST 1989	Over-The-Year	
				Numerical Change	Percent Change
Civilian Labor Force	6,365,000	6,313,000	6,176,000	189,000	3.1
Employment	5,939,000	5,953,000	5,849,000	90,000	1.5
Unemployment	426,000	360,000	327,000	99,000	30.3
Unemployment Rate	6.7	5.7	5.3	1.4	---
Nation Unemployment Rate	5.6	5.5	5.3	0.3	---

Source: U. S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey.

LABOR FORCE SUMMARY
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

STATE OF FLORIDA	AUGUST 1990	JULY 1990	AUGUST 1989	Over-The-Year	
				Numerical Change	Percent Change
Civilian Labor Force	6,454,500	6,424,900	6,272,600	181,900	2.9
Employment	6,014,300	6,030,300	5,932,600	81,700	1.4
Unemployment	440,200	394,600	340,000	100,200	29.5
Unemployment Rate	6.8	6.1	5.4	1.4	---
Nation Unemployment Rate	5.4	5.5	5.1	0.3	---

Source: U. S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey.

LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS
BY COUNTY
AUGUST 1990 (PRELIMINARY)

COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY-MENT	UNEM-PLOYMENT	RATE	COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY-MENT	UNEM-PLOYMENT	RATE
ALACHUA	99122	95496	3626	3.7	LAKE	61763	55900	5863	9.5
BAKER	8298	7640	658	7.9	LEE	158495	150355	8140	5.1
BAY	62406	57740	4666	7.5	LEON	116359	110820	5539	4.8
BRADFORD	10379	9789	590	5.7	LEVY	10722	10026	696	6.5
BREVARD	197367	185275	12092	6.1	LIBERTY	2903	2797	106	3.7
BROWARD	673123	631063	42060	6.2	MADISON	7829	7118	711	9.1
CALHOUN	3759	3467	292	7.8	MANATEE	89706	85137	4569	5.1
CHARLOTTE	41401	38932	2469	6.0	MARION	80611	74302	6309	7.8
CITRUS	39257	36237	3020	7.7	MARTIN	42289	38843	3446	8.1
CLAY	46544	44094	2450	5.3	MONROE	49523	47624	1899	3.8
COLLIER	74293	68834	5459	7.3	NASSAU	22997	21504	1493	6.5
COLUMBIA	20991	19254	1737	8.3	OKALOOSA	66191	61643	4548	6.9
DADE	979493	906450	73043	7.5	OKEECHOBEE	12383	11020	1363	11.0
DESOTO	8771	8034	737	8.4	ORANGE	408699	382439	26260	6.4
DIXIE	4472	4201	271	6.1	OSCEOLA	53510	50321	3189	6.0
DUVAL	356842	334688	22154	6.2	PALM BEACH	433875	399675	34200	7.9
ESCAMBIA	120488	112573	7915	6.6	PASCO	101552	93536	8016	7.9
FLAGLER	11938	11156	782	6.6	PINELLAS	415732	393411	22321	5.4
FRANKLIN	7251	6894	357	4.9	POLK	185999	162354	23645	12.7
GADSDEN	20800	19426	1374	6.6	PUTNAM	24628	22838	1790	7.3
GILCHRIST	3580	3320	260	7.3	ST. JOHNS	40663	38114	2549	6.3
GLADES	2973	2578	395	13.3	ST. LUCIE	68430	56500	11930	17.4
GULF	4609	4214	395	8.6	SANTA ROSA	30445	28316	2129	7.0
HAMILTON	3831	3471	360	9.4	SARASOTA	126533	120522	6011	4.8
HARDEE	8777	7441	1336	15.2	SEMINOLE	178711	168588	10123	5.7
HENDRY	11049	8967	2082	18.8	SUMTER	12752	11670	1082	8.5
HERNANDO	39070	36117	2953	7.6	SUWANNEE	11959	10980	979	8.2
HIGHLANDS	25471	22737	2734	10.7	TAYLOR	9595	8754	841	8.8
HILLSBOROUGH	469540	444713	24827	5.3	UNION	4297	4150	147	3.4
HOLMES	7030	6582	448	6.4	VOLUSIA	158347	148874	9473	6.0
INDIAN RIVER	46158	40336	5822	12.6	WAKULLA	6522	6227	295	4.5
JACKSON	20017	18743	1274	6.4	WALTON	15602	14676	926	5.9
JEFFERSON	5370	4990	380	7.1	WASHINGTON	7651	7200	451	5.9
LAFAYETTE	2759	2617	142	5.1					

FLORIDA (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	6454500	6014300	440200	6.8
FLORIDA (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)	6365000	5939000	426000	6.7

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LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS
BY COUNTY
JULY 1990 (REVISED)

COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY-MENT	UNEM-PLOYMENT	RATE	COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	EMPLOY-MENT	UNEM-PLOYMENT	RATE
ALACHUA	98335	95076	3259	3.3	LAKE	61061	55852	5209	8.5
BAKER	8311	7781	530	6.4	LEE	158217	151095	7122	4.5
BAY	62482	58142	4340	6.9	LEON	115894	111589	4305	3.7
BRADFORD	10179	9746	433	4.3	LEVY	10993	10393	600	5.5
BREVARD	198028	187251	10777	5.4	LIBERTY	2878	2815	63	2.2
BROWARD	668914	631316	37598	5.6	MADISON	7648	7025	623	8.1
CALHOUN	3781	3513	268	7.1	MANATEE	89572	84994	4578	5.1
CHARLOTTE	40339	38378	1961	4.9	MARION	80264	74960	5304	6.6
CITRUS	39063	36451	2612	6.7	MARTIN	42392	39040	3352	7.9
CLAY	46618	44328	2290	4.9	MONROE	47916	46390	1526	3.2
COLLIER	74004	69116	4888	6.6	NASSAU	22850	21617	1233	5.4
COLUMBIA	20939	19195	1744	8.3	OKALOOSA	66620	63008	3612	5.4
DADE	972981	907896	65085	6.7	OKEECHOBEE	12325	11149	1176	9.5
DESOTO	8686	8043	643	7.4	ORANGE	407826	385024	22802	5.6
DIXIE	4466	4196	270	6.0	OSCEOLA	53096	50661	2435	4.6
DUVAL	356392	336458	19934	5.6	PALM BEACH	431249	399014	32235	7.5
ESCAMBIA	119455	112695	6760	5.7	PASCO	100975	93695	7280	7.2
FLAGLER	11803	11140	663	5.6	PINELLAS	414349	394079	20270	4.9
FRANKLIN	7437	7154	283	3.8	POLK	184824	163454	21370	11.6
GADSDEN	20690	19561	1129	5.5	PUTNAM	24594	22940	1654	6.7
GILCHRIST	3608	3370	238	6.6	ST. JOHNS	40567	38316	2251	5.5
GLADES	2938	2595	343	11.7	ST. LUCIE	67292	56788	10504	15.6
GULF	4677	4334	343	7.3	SANTA ROSA	30058	28347	1711	5.7
HAMILTON	3845	3502	343	8.9	SARASOTA	125959	120633	5326	4.2
HARDEE	8644	7588	1056	12.2	SEMINOLE	178726	169727	8999	5.0
HENDRY	10887	8923	1964	18.0	SUMTER	12716	11715	1001	7.9
HERNANDO	38707	36179	2528	6.5	SUWANNEE	11634	10868	766	6.6
HIGHLANDS	25208	22709	2499	9.9	TAYLOR	9476	8710	766	8.1
HILLSBOROUGH	469455	445468	23987	5.1	UNION	4268	4123	145	3.4
HOLMES	7399	6676	723	9.8	VOLUSIA	157906	149560	8346	5.3
INDIAN RIVER	44624	39601	5023	11.3	WAKULLA	6603	6333	270	4.1
JACKSON	19743	18194	1549	7.8	WALTON	15696	14905	791	5.0
JEFFERSON	5250	5027	223	4.2	WASHINGTON	7735	7175	560	7.2
LAFAYETTE	2838	2705	133	4.7					
FLORIDA (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)						6424900	6030300	394600	6.1
FLORIDA (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)						6313000	5953000	360000	5.7

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LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS
By Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA)

August 1990 (Preliminary)

1.	Ft. Pierce MSA	13.9 %
2.	Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	12.7
3.	West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MSA	7.9
4.	Ocala MSA	7.8
5.	Panama City MSA	7.5
6.	Miami-Hialeah MSA	7.5
7.	Naples MSA	7.3
8.	Ft. Walton Beach MSA	6.9
9.	Pensacola MSA	6.7
10.	Ft. Lauderdale-Hollywood-Pompano Beach MSA	6.2
11.	Orlando MSA	6.2
12.	Jacksonville MSA	6.1
13.	Melbourne-Titusville-Palm Bay MSA	6.1
14.	Daytona Beach MSA	6.0
15.	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	5.7
16.	Ft. Myers-Cape Coral MSA	5.1
17.	Bradenton MSA	5.1
18.	Tallahassee MSA	5.0
19.	Sarasota MSA	4.8
20.	Gainesville MSA	3.8

July 1990 (Revised)

1.	Ft. Pierce MSA	12.6 %
2.	Lakeland-Winter Haven MSA	11.6
3.	West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach MSA	7.5
4.	Panama City MSA	6.9
5.	Miami-Hialeah MSA	6.7
6.	Ocala MSA	6.6
7.	Naples MSA	6.6
8.	Pensacola MSA	5.7
9.	Ft. Lauderdale-Hollywood-Pompano Beach MSA	5.6
10.	Jacksonville MSA	5.5
11.	Melbourne-Titusville-Palm Bay MSA	5.4
12.	Ft. Walton Beach MSA	5.4
13.	Orlando MSA	5.4
14.	Daytona Beach MSA	5.3
15.	Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater MSA	5.3
16.	Bradenton MSA	5.1
17.	Ft. Myers-Cape Coral MSA	4.5
18.	Sarasota MSA	4.2
19.	Tallahassee MSA	4.0
20.	Gainesville MSA	3.4

Source : Florida Department of Labor and Employment Security, Bureau of Labor Market Information, in cooperation with the U. S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

FLORIDA ECONOMIC INDICATORS
August 1990

Seasonally Adjusted - Statewide	Current Month	Month Ago	Year Ago	Percent Change	
				Month Ago	Year Ago
INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION CLAIMS/1					
Total Initial Claims	42,872	40,248	33,864	6.52	26.60
Interstate Initial Claims	4,259	4,381	3,691	- 2.78	15.39
Intrastate Initial Claims	38,613	35,865	30,173	7.66	27.97
INDUSTRY INTRASTATE INITIAL CLAIMS/1					
Services	14,571	13,752	10,559	5.96	38.00
Trade	6,448	4,682	4,686	37.72	37.60
Construction	5,689	5,590	4,216	1.77	34.94
Manufacturing	4,868	4,955	4,478	- 1.80	8.66
Mining, Government, Agriculture	3,752	2,751	3,477	36.39	7.91
Transportation, Communications, Public Utilities	1,056	1,184	1,000	- 10.81	5.60
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate	1,320	1,315	1,078	0.38	22.45
Information Not Available	911	1,636	679	- 44.32	34.17
CONTINUED CLAIMS/1					
Total Weeks Claimed	337,935	324,359	266,862	4.19	26.63
Interstate Weeks Claimed	37,667	34,248	29,552	9.98	27.46
Intrastate Weeks Claimed	300,267	290,112	237,311	3.50	26.53
ECONOMIC/2					
Housing Starts (At Annual Rates)	146,070	127,420	151,203	14.64	- 3.39
Construction Expenditures (Thousands)	1,605,229	1,586,070	1,541,630	1.21	4.13
Average Hours Worked Manufacturing	41	41	41	0.00	0.00
Taxable Sales (Thousands)	11,582,300	11,407,500	10,944,599	1.53	5.83
Not Seasonally Adjusted - Statewide	* Data are based on program year which began July 1, 1990.				
JOB SERVICES/3					
Active File (end of month)	230,808	209,207	325,444	10.3	- 29.1
New Applications (month)	67,229	59,074	57,147	13.8	17.6
Applicants Receiving Service (07-01-89 to date)	129,325	65,529*	101,205*	97.1	27.8
Nonfarm Openings Received (month)	37,448	33,040	38,424	13.3	- 2.5
Nonfarm Openings Unfilled (end of month)	37,200	36,064	34,147	3.1	8.9
Placement Transactions (month)	15,602	14,052	15,164	11.0	2.9
Individuals Placed (07-01-89 to date)	27,344	13,410*	26,277*	103.9	4.1
Nonfarm (07-01-89 to date)	25,529	12,491*	25,161*	104.4	1.5
Job Openings Filled (07-01-89 to date)	28,898	14,942*	28,424*	93.4	1.7
Eligible Claimants Placed (07-01-89 to date)	1,073	501*	3,652*	114.2	- 70.7

Sources:

1/ Florida Department of Labor and Employment Security, Division of Unemployment Compensation; Compiled and Seasonally Adjusted by the Executive Office of the Governor, Office of Planning and Budgeting, Revenue and Economic Analysis.

2/ Executive Office of the Governor, Office of Planning and Budgeting, Revenue and Economic Analysis.

3/ Florida Department of Labor and Employment Security, Division of Labor, Employment and Training.

Definitions: Initial Claim - Any notice of unemployment filed (1) to request a determination of entitlement to and eligibility for compensation (new claim) or (2) to begin a second or subsequent period of unemployment within a benefit year (additional claim).
Intrastate Claim - A claim filed in the same state in which the individual's wage credits were earned.
Interstate Claim - A claim filed in one state (agent) based on monetary entitlement to compensation in another state (liable).